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H. S. R. No.\_\_\_\_\_

RESOLUTION

H.S.R. 240

WHEREAS, One of the most able and productive Members of this House is the Honorable R. H. (Dick) Cory of Victoria; and

whereas, Elected in 1954 to represent the people in Victoria and Calhoun Counties, he is now serving his seventh consecutive term in the House. He has been in the Legislature during the leadership of three Governors: Allan Shivers, Price Daniel, and John Connally; and

WHEREAS, In past sessions of this House he has been three times Chairman of the State Affairs, Chairman of Rules, Motor Traffic, and Insurance Committees; and

WHEREAS, His record of Legislative accomplishment during the present session includes a bill for economy in government, familiarly known as the "Little Hoover Commission", a bill to purchase a recreational beach area in Calhoun County, Texas, a bill prohibiting wiretapping and eavesdropping, the Real Estate Licensing Act, and a planning commission for the executive branch of government, in addition to a constitutional amendment calling for the revision of the Texas Constitution, and a House Concurrent Resolution setting up a law enforcement commission for the State of Texas; and

WHEREAS, He has been the author or the co-author of vital legislation during his incumbency, including a bill creating the State Board of Insurance, the Traffic Safety Act, the Lobby Control Act, the Water Pollution Law, the Teacher Retirement Bill of 1963, four Teacher Pay Raise Bills, the Coordinating Committee for the Institutions of Higher Learning, the Professional Engineers Registration Act, the Judicial Pay Raise, the Reciprocal Child Support Act, together with other bills pertaining to the establishment of local courts, local pay raises for county

officials and bills concerning the prohibition of alien fishing > vessels; and

WHEREAS, R. H. (Dick) Cory is a native of California, born at San Mateo, April 7, 1918. His parents were the late I. H. Cory and the late Minnie E. Cory. He is married to the charming Marie Helen Cory and has two lovely daughters, Susan Marie and Mary Elizabeth; and

WHEREAS, He has served his State well, his Nation, in military service during the war, as a Master Sergeant in the Infantry, and his favorite city, Victoria, Texas, where he has been very active in civic affairs. As evidence of his community service and the public spirit which characterizes his career, he was elected "Outstanding Young Man" of Victoria in 1950. He is past Exalted Ruler of the Order of Elks, past president of the Kiwanis Club, District Chairman of the Boy Scouts of America, De Leon District, a Skipper for the Victoria Sea Scouts from 1948 to 1958. Educated to the law, he has been a practicing attorney for twenty years and a former judge of the corporation court; and

WHEREAS, It is easy to understand that many of his colleagues look upon R. H. (Dick) Cory as representative of the best that is possible in a legislator; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the Sixtieth

Legislature of the State of Texas, extends birthday congratulations
to the Honorable R. H. (Dick) Cory, and as he begins his forty-ninth
year today, wishes him continued success and happiness.

Speaker of the House

I hereby certify that H.S.R.\_\_
was adopted by the House on
April \_\_\_\_\_, 1967.

R. G. (Randy) Pendleton Representative, District No. 73 Andrews, Dawson, Gaines, Lynn, and Martin Counties

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